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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED January 29, 2004

In response to the Office Action mailed January 29, 2004, Applicant submits this response and respectfully requests reconsideration of the Examiner's objections and rejections.

Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant petitions for a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 up to and including May 29, 2004. A fee in the amount of \$110.00 for a one-month extension of time is included. A check in the amount of \$110.00 is included for the fee associated with the one-month extension of time. Applicant hereby authorizes and instructs the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to charge Deposit Account No. 02-0383 (matter 016295.0681) of Baker Botts L.L.P. for any additional charges necessary for the filing of this response.

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